

**July 24, 2006**

**HENDERSON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT  
LOCAL/STATE BOARD FACILITIES HEARING REPORT**

A Local/State public hearing was held at the Henderson County Board of Education on July 24, 2006, at 5:30 p.m. (CDT). The purpose of the public hearing was to propose a new District Facility Plan developed by the Henderson County Local Planning Committee. The Local Planning Committee (LPC) voted unanimously in favor of the proposed new plan and the Board voted 5-0 to approve the new plan.

There were **(12) twelve** individuals in attendance. Butch Canty, Facilitator for the Kentucky School Boards Association, served as the district-appointed hearing officer.

**COMMENTS**

Mr. Walt Spencer called the public hearing to order and welcomed the hearing officer to the district. The hearing officer outlined the purpose of the hearing and the hearing procedures in accordance with 702 KAR 1:001. It was explained that those persons wishing to speak would be given the opportunity and that written statements would be accepted. It was also noted that all considerations will be made available to the Kentucky Board of Education via the hearing officer's report. The hearing officer read the proposed new District Facility Plan that includes: **renovations/additions to Spottsville Elementary School, East Heights Elementary School, and Bend Gate Elementary School; category two renovations/additions to Henderson County North Middle School, Henderson County South Middle School, Niagara Elementary School, Cairo Elementary School, A.B. Chandler Elementary School, Jefferson Elementary School, and South Heights Elementary School; renovations to Henderson County High School/Career Technical Education Center; management support areas: construct a Central Storage facility and central frozen food storage, renovate the Daycare Center and relocate and renovate the Central Office area; and complete several discretionary projects.**

The floor was opened to those who wished to make a statement. Several persons spoke in support of the proposed plan and felt it was a good plan for the Henderson County School District.

**RECOMMENDATIONS**

It is recommended that the new District Facility Plan developed by the Henderson County Local Planning Committee and adopted by the Henderson County Board of Education be approved as the District Facility Plan for the Henderson County School District. A copy of the new plan is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Reviewed by;

Butch Canty, Hearing Officer

Timothy K. Lucas, KDE Fac. Mgmt.

cc: Mark W. Ryles, Director  
Planning File

Attachments: Local/State Board Public Hearing Agenda  
Henderson Co. School District Facility Plan